

New Hampshire Veterans Home

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New Hampshire Veterans Home to Host Nursing Career Fair and Open House on Thursday, October 6, 2005

TILTON, NH – September 21, 2005 – The New Hampshire Veterans Home ("NHVH") welcomes nursing professionals to learn about career opportunities available for RNs, LPNs, MNAs and LNAs during a Career Fair and Open House on Thursday, October 6, 2005 from 1:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. Staff members will be available to provide an overview of benefits, conduct tours and answer questions. Visitors will enjoy light refreshments while socializing with our veterans and staff. Attendees who register in advance by contacting Human Resources at (603) 527-4400 or e-mail to careers@nhvh.nh.gov will be entered in a raffle to win a \$250.00 Gift Certificate to Tanger Outlet Center in Tilton. You must attend the Career Fair to be eligible for the raffle, but you need not be present at time of drawing. Same day registration will be available.

About the New Hampshire Veterans Home

The New Hampshire Veterans Home ("NHVH") was initially established in Tilton in 1890 as the Soldier's Home for Civil War Veterans. Today, the modern facility in its countryside setting is home to men and women who have served their country and fellow New Hampshire citizens. The mission of NHVH is to provide high quality, professional long-term care services to the Granite State's elderly and

disabled veterans. NHVH is the only long-term care facility in the Granite State that is dedicated exclusively to veterans.

As a professional health care provider, NHVH offers a full range of services including residential, medical/dental and nursing care as well as physical/occupational therapy, recreation, and dietary and social services. Chapel services, exercise groups, arts and crafts, shopping trips, live entertainment and various community outings support residents' quality of life. NHVH also offers inter-generational programs and animal-assisted recreational therapy.

Dedicated staff members work in partnership with volunteers from surrounding communities and numerous veteran service organizations to enrich our residents' lives. NHVH recently opened the 100-person Life Enhancement Dementia Unit to serve the long-term care needs of veterans who suffer from Alzheimer's and other related memory impairment disorders. The facility addition will enable NHVH to provide comprehensive long-term care services to a total of 250 Residents.

Additional information is available online at our website www.nh.gov/veterans